

Rev. (1950) Department.

Ms. SERIES.

G.O. No. 2852

Dated 2-11-50.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Allowance - Conveyance Allowance - (Bellary)
Deputy Commercial Tax Officers, Bellary I and Adoni -
~~Sanctioned Requests~~

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

SUBJECT.

Deputy
Allowance - Conveyance allowance - (Bellary) ~~Distt~~ Commercial
Tax Officers - Bellary I and Adoni - Sanction - Requested.

Station: Madras Ref.C.5800-49-1 dated 3.9.49.
From

Md. S.M. Hussain Saheb Bahadur,
Secretary, Commercial Taxes, Board of Revenue;
W.R.S. Sathinathan Esq., I.C.S.,
Commissioner of Commercial Taxes.

Read:- From the Commercial Tax Officer, Bellary, Ref.C.2051-49.
dated 26.7.49.

From the D.C.(N) R.C.C.3698-49, dated 1.8.49.

REFERENCE:

Submitted to the Government.

2. The Board requests that the Government may be pleased to sanction the drawal of conveyance allowance by the Deputy Commercial Tax Officers Bellary I and Adoni at Rs.15/- per mensem (inclusive of the 25% temporary increase) each with effect from 15.9.1948.

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for Secretary (CT).

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy of letter from the Commercial Tax Officer, Bellary, Ref.C.No. 2051/49, dated 26.7.49, To the Secretary to the Commissioner of Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Board of Revenue, Madras. Through the Deputy Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, North Vijayawadd.

Sub: Allowance - Commercial Taxes Department - Conveyance allowance -
Sanction of - requested

Ref: G.O.Ms.3041, dated 22.12.48.
Board's L.Dis 4223/49, dated 12.7.44.

Consequent to the formation of new offices from 15.9.48 I submit that the Deputy Commercial Tax Officers Bellary I, and Adoni have no touring to do as their jurisdiction has been limited to Municipal limits only. They have not been drawing since that date either F.T.A. or conveyance allowance.

According to G.O.Ms.No.3041/Rev., dated 22.12.48, they are eligible to draw Rs.15/- as conveyance allowance. I request that sanction may be accorded for the drawal of conveyance allowance of Rs.15/- per mensem for the Deputy Commercial Tax Officers Bellary I and Adoni with effect from 15.9.48.

I solicit early orders in the matter.

/True copy/.

Copy R.C.C.3692/49, Dated 1.8.1949

Submitted favour of orders.

Sd. P.S. NARAYANA RAO,
Deputy Commissioner.

/True Copy/.

Copy of Memo.No.53839 N/49-2, dated 18.10.1949.

Sub: Allowances - Conveyance allowance (Bellary)
Deputy Commercial Tax Officers - Bellary
and Adoni - Drawal.

Ref: From the Board of Revenue, Ref.C.5800/49-1.
dated 3.9.49.

In G.O.Ms.No.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48 it was ordered that all Deputy Commercial Tax Officers who were in receipt of varying rates of conveyance allowance should from 1.1.49 draw a uniform rate of Rs.15/- p.m. The Deputy Commercial Tax Officers of Bellary I and Adoni have not been sanctioned any conveyance allowance so far. The Board of Revenue is requested to examine whether any conveyance allowance is necessary at all for these two Deputy Commercial Tax Officers with reference to rules 19-22 of Manual of Special Pay and Allowance, Vol.I.

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Assistant Secretary to Government.

To
The Board of Revenue (Commercial Taxes)

/True Copy/.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Subject.

allowances - Conveyance allowance, - Certain D.C.T.O. and A.C.T.Os.
Working in new offices - Drawal - Report - Submitted.

Location: Madras Ref.C/B.5800/49-3. Dated 3.7.50.

From

Md.S.M. Hussain, I.A.S., Secretary, Commercial
Taxes, Board of Revenue.

Sri V.NK KUDVA, I.C.S., Commissioner of Commercial Taxes.

Ad:- Board's Ref.C.5800/49-1, dated 3.9.49.
Government (Rev.Dept) Memo.No.53839-N/49-2, dated 18.10.49.
From the D.C.(S) Ref.No.D.3593/49, dated 27.10.49.
From the C.T.O. Bellary, Ref.C.No.2051/49, dated 29.12.49.
From the A.G. Madras, No.T.12B. CT.1068, dated 31.1.50.
From the D.C.(S), Ref.3593/49, dated 16.4.50.

REFERENCE:

Submitted to the Government.

2. The Deputy Commissioner (South) has also brought to the notice of the Board certain cases similar to that of the Deputy Commercial Tax Officers of Bellary and Adoni, whose jurisdiction is confined only to municipal areas and who have not been sanctioned conveyance allowance so far (copy of the Deputy Commissioner's letter dated 27.10.49 is enclosed). The Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers mentioned in the letter of the Deputy Commissioner (South) are functioning in the newly formed offices in the Southern Division. Some of them have drawn conveyance allowance at the rates admissible to them without the prior sanction of the Government. A copy of the letter of the Deputy Commissioner (South) dated 16.4.50 showing the amounts drawn by each Officer and the total amount so drawn is also enclosed. In this connection, a copy of the letter of the Accountant General, Madras. No.T.12.B-CT. 1068, dated 3.1.50 is also submitted for reference. The Deputy Commissioner (South) recommends that, as the officers in charge of the new offices are performing the same functions as their colleagues in the old offices, it is but fair to grant the same Conveyance Allowance to the Officers working in the newly formed offices also.

2. With reference to the orders in the Government Memorandum dated, the Deputy Commissioner (South) and the Commercial Tax Officer Bellary were requested to report the distance covered up by the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in the newly formed offices in municipal areas who are not drawing conveyance allowance prior to the issue of the G.O.Ms.No.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48 (copies of the letters of the Deputy Commissioner (South) and Commercial Tax Officer, Bellary are enclosed). The Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers whose offices are located in municipal areas are not in the habit of furnishing the distance travelled by them even in their diaries as they are not drawing F.T.A. or Travelling Allowance. It is therefore extremely difficult to furnish the distance covered up by them in the municipal areas ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ with reference to Rules 19-22 of the Manual of Special pay and Allowances. The Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers in the municipal areas have also to do out-door work such as street survey, shop inspection, local enquiry, collection work etc.

They have a number of miscellaneous functions. Hence it is not possible for them to furnish the particulars of distances covered by them while discharging their duties in the municipal limits. However, the Deputy Commissioner (South) has estimated that on the average the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers in the municipal limits are covering up 80 miles a month.

The Board has examined whether any allowance is necessary to the Deputy Commercial Tax Officers of Bellary and Adoni with reference to Rules 19-22 of the Manual of Special pay and allowances. These rules lay the restrictions for calculating road journeys for which mileage is admissible. According to these rules, the road journey has to be made by the shortest route or cheapest route whichever is less expensive to the Government. In view of the location of the Commercial Tax Offices of the Assistant Commercial Tax Offices and Deputy Commercial Tax Offices in municipal areas and in view of the out-door work which the Assistant Commercial Tax Offices and Deputy Commercial Tax Offices have to attend to in discharging their duties, it is not easy to fix up the central point according to military route book etc., and arrive at the actual distance travelled by such officers. The calculation of the road journey specified in Rules 19-22 of the Manual of Special pay and Allowances is possible only in the cases of long journeys between different stations.

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4. The Deputy Commercial Tax Officers according to their grades are allowed mileage of annas 4/- and Annas 3/- for a road journey of every mile. Taking for granted that the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers in municipalities are covering up 80 miles a month as estimated by the Deputy Commissioner (South) an Assistant Commercial Tax Officer and Deputy Commercial Tax Officer would draw a mileage of Rs.15/- p.m. and Rs.20/- p.m. respectively at the rates of mileage admissible to their grades. Even after leaving a margin of 20 miles (i.e. Taking for granted that the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in municipalities are covering up a distance of only 60 miles a month at the rate of two miles a day) an Assistant Commercial Tax Officer and Deputy Commercial Tax Officer will draw a mileage of Rs.11-4-0 P.M. and Rs.15/- P.M. respectively, if they are allowed mileage. But according to the orders in G.O.Ms.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48, Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers are allowed to draw conveyance allowance at a uniform rate of Rs.4/- P.M. and Rs.15/- P.M. respectively. In the circumstances mentioned above, it is desirable to permit the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in Municipalities, who are not drawing conveyance allowance at present, to draw the conveyance allowance at the same rates as fixed in the Government Order Ms.No.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48. It is also advantageous to the Government. The Board therefore recommends that the Government may be pleased to extend the orders in G.O.Ms.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48 also to the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in the new office who are not drawing conveyance allowance at present.

5. The Board also recommends that the Government may be pleased to accord sanction by a general order permitting the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in the new offices in Municipal areas to claim their arrears of conveyance allowance at the rate or rates admissible to them for the period prior to 1.1.1949.

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ABSTRACT.

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Allowances - Conveyance allowance - (Bellary) Deputy
Commercial Tax Officers, Bellary I and Adoni - Sanction - Requested.
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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No.2852.

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Dated 2nd November 1950.
Read the following:

G.O.Ms.No;3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48.
From the Board of Revenue, Ref.C.5800/49-1,
dated 3.9.49.
From the Board of Revenue, ~~dated~~Ref.C/D.5800/49-3,
dated 3.7.50.

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O R D E R:

In the circumstances reported, the Government direct that with effect from the date of this order the orders in G.O.No.3041, Revenue, dated 22.12.48 fixing the rates of conveyance allowance to Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in big towns be extended to all the Assistant Commercial Tax Officers and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in the newly formed offices in municipal areas who have not been drawing any conveyance allowance. They also waive the recovery of the conveyance allowance drawn by some of the Assistant Commercial Tax Officer and Deputy Commercial Tax Officers working in the newly formed offices, without their prior sanction.

(BY ORDER ETC.,) (Sd.) x x x
Secretary to Government.

To

The Board of Revenue (Commercial Taxes).
The Accountant General; through Finance.
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